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### Announcements.

#### COUNTY COURT CLERK.

McGLASSON—The Sentinel is authorized to announce G. Lee McGlasson as candidate for Clerk of the County Court of Jackson County subject to the action of the voters in August election 1918.

SETTLE—The Sentinel is authorized to announce Glen B. Settle as candidate for Clerk of the County Court of Jackson County subject to the action of the voters in August election 1918.

### Canadian Soldier Makes Liberty Loan Speech.

Capt. Ivan S. Rossiter, the Canadian, accompanied by J. M. Whitfield, of Gallatin, addressed a small, but patriotic crowd here today (Thursday) in the interest of the Liberty Loan. The smallness of the crowd was due, however to like of publicity. His coming was not known until he arrived in town at noon. But by means of telephone and car messengers the news was spread and the crowd numbered several hundred. Capt. Rossiter made a very touching talk, giving his experience as a German prisoner and told in detail many interesting facts about the German people, and how well they were organized to win this war and become rulers of the world. He said he had never before addressed a more responsive crowd, considering the number present than the one today. \$5400.00 was subscribed in a short time putting the total subscription at time of going to press \$42,400. The remaining \$5,100 of the county's quota will be subscribed and its hoped several thousand over.

#### GLADDICO.

We have bought our Liberty Bonds, have you?

Sunday school is progressing nicely at Smith's Memorial Chapel.

Bro. Elijah Henry delivered a strong sermon Sunday.

R. L. Butler is transacting business in Nashville this week.

E. P. Draper, of Granville, was transacting business here Saturday.

Carl Smith spent Saturday night with Oscar Mullinax.

W. L. Dixon is spending a few days with home folks.

Lillie Butler and children spent Saturday night with Dr. F. O. Cornwell and family.

Eldon Draper left Saturday on the Jo Horton Fall for Nashville.

Prof. W. L. Dixon and W. W. Mullinax made a business trip to Gainesboro Monday.

J. W. Butler and little son went to Nashville last week with a bunch of hogs.

Courtney Dixon and Wilson Mullinax made a pleasure trip to Granville Sunday.

B. F. Taylor is in Nashville.

Babe Butler is in Nashville on business.

## Amos Dudley Found Dead In Bed.

Amos Dudley, age 66 years and 2 months, a well known and highly respected citizen of Cookeville, died in Gainesboro Monday night May 1st, of heart failure, at the home of his brother, John Dudley. He retired that night feeling as well as usual after eating a hearty supper. It is believed that death came soon after he had retired, but it is not known at what hour he died, as he was found dead when breakfast was announced.

Mr. Dudley was a former citizen of Jackson county and has many friends in this section who were shocked to learn of his sudden death.

He is survived by a wife, 2 sisters, 5 brothers, 4 sons and 3 daughters; Mrs. T. G. Meadows of Gainesboro, Mrs. Merta Richardson, of Nashville; George and John Dudley, Gainesboro, Lee of Texas, Kinner, of Cottontown, and Sid of Watertown; Frank Dudley, a resident of Michigan, Clyde, of Nashville, and Howard and Amos Jr., who are in the United States Army; Mrs. Robt. Estes, Mrs. Anna Harris, and Miss Mary Dudley, of Nashville, all of whom attended the funeral except Frank, Howard and Amos, Jr. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon by Rev. Henry Hall at the family cemetery in Free State. Mr. Dudley was a member of the Christian church.

## W. A. Hensley Dies After Brief Illness.

William A. Hensley, age 70, a well-known farmer, of near Bloomington, Putnam county, died at his home Monday evening of interception of the bowels. He was taken suddenly ill Sunday morning and suffered intensely to the last. Mr. Hensley was a man who was liked by all his acquaintances, who will be shocked to learn of his sudden death. He is survived by a devoted wife and several children and a large number of relatives. Funeral services was held last Tuesday with interment near the home.

## Jackson County Boys Ready and Anxious to "Go Over The Top."

F. M. Mabry, of Cookeville R 4, was a visitor at the Sentinel office Tuesday. Mr. Mabry visited his son, Claude Mabry, at Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C., several weeks ago and had much to say in regard to his trip and his pleasant stay with his son and other Jackson county boys. He said from what he saw the boys were fast getting in shape to give a good account of themselves in "No-Man's Land," and that they were looking forward to that time and anxious to go.

An exchange says: "The man who never contributes to public enterprises or voluntarily assists in supporting any of the public enterprises, is not worth coaxing to remain in the town or community and should he decide to move out it is always a matter of congratulation." It's units and not mere ciphers that counts for something. "Be a unit." The same rule applies to our Army, Navy, Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. These are just what you and I make them. It's as much your duty to lend your money to the government for their support as it is for the boys to fight after they are commanded to do so.

Mrs. N. M. McCain, of route 3, spent several days in Nashville last week, accompanying her nieces, Mary and Mattie Clay Smith, who underwent operations.

## LOCALS

J. R. Carver, of Dycus was here Monday.

Major Flynn returned from Nashville Tuesday, where he had been on business.

Reliable auto service, to all points. Call or see Luke Dennis, Gainesboro, Tenn.

M. A. Gaines, of Haydenburg, made the Sentinel a pleasant visit Wednesday.

Mesdames White Myers and D. A. Tyree, of Gladdico, were in Gainesboro Tuesday.

W. F. Sadler, Clerk and Master transacted business in Overton county this week.

Frank and W. C. Williamson of Granville, were in town Wednesday on business.

Miss Dora Spivey has returned to Hamilton, Miss., after a 2 weeks visit in Gainesboro.

Mrs. J. L. Reeves and family spent Sunday with her father, Dr. N. M. McCain, on Route 3.

J. L. McCawley and J. M. Draper made a business trip to Louisville, Ky., this week.

For Auto service, call Luke Dennis, Gainesboro. Good car, safe driver, charges reasonable.

B. C. Jones, county chairman, attended to official business here this week. He was accompanied by his two sons.

W. C. Heady, wife and children, have returned to Spencer, after several days visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dycus and daughter, Miss Eula Dycus, of Haydenburg R 2, were in town Monday. Mrs. Dycus is having some dental work done.

Miss Mona Sadler enjoyed a pleasant boat excursion up Cumberland river last week, with a number of friends from North Springs and Whitleyville.

Miss Lizzie Mai Young, operator of the Gainesboro exchange at Celina, is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riddle Young for a two weeks vacation.

J. H. Maynard, of Lee's Landing, was a pleasant caller at the Sentinel office Wednesday, and ordered the paper sent to his daughter, Mrs. W. B. Smith, Castalian Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Reeves and family, of Dixon Springs, came in Saturday on a visit to Mr. Reeves' parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Reeves. Mr. Reeves who is cashier of the bank, returned Sunday.

Mary and Mattie Clay Smith returned Friday from Nashville, where they underwent an operation for tonsillitis. Their sister, Lucille, who had previously undergone an operation for appendicitis at the Woman's Hospital, accompanied them home.

O. C. Norton, who is in Headquarters Company 117th Infantry Greenville, S. C. Camp Sevier, was in on a furlough first of the week. He visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Norton at Flynn's Lick. Oliver says if a private in the Army wants to get along and be liked by his officers he should toe the line and obey orders to a "gnat's" heel, otherwise he might not like soldier life so well.

NEW GARAGE—I wish to announce to the public that I have opened a garage at my livery stable on the west side of the square. Experienced men in charge who will repair your car and put it in first class shape. Satisfaction guaranteed. When in trouble call Harley Garage on either telephone. Car storage free. If we fail to put your car in excellent running order there will be no charges to pay.—J. H. Harley, Gainesboro, Tenn.

## Write Cherry Letters to Your Soldier and Don't Exaggerate Home Troubles.

The following statement is authorized by the War Department:

Recent reports from commanding generals of certain Army divisions indicate that one of the fruitful causes of soldiers absenting themselves without leave is the discouraging letter from home. Such letters frequently give alarming and exaggerated reports of conditions surrounding the soldier's family, that some member is desperately ill, that all are starving or that they are being in some way harassed. In instances such letters have so preyed upon the minds of soldiers that they have absented themselves without leave to go home, only to find that conditions have been grossly exaggerated.

Meanwhile, the soldier had been absent without leave—a serious military offense. His problem then became one of facing the penalty or getting deeper into trouble by deserting. Sometimes a man's pride or fear had led him to desert.

Every soldier wants to receive letters from home. They should be frequent, cheerful, hopeful, and appreciative of the sacrifice that he is making for his country. They should be full of family incidents and cheerful home gossip. They should protect him from the trifling alarms and the small annoyances of everyday life. They should encourage him by giving full confidence that his family and his friends stand behind him in the great enterprise he has undertaken.

The value of such letters to soldiers is beyond estimate. The harm that discouraging letters from home do to him is clearly indicated by reports of division commanders:

"I find, also that many of the families of the men write to them of unsatisfactory conditions at home, sickness of relatives, and how much various members of the family wish to see the soldier. These letters, so far as sickness, etc., are concerned, are often overdrawn, but, combined with the homesick feeling often result in the man going absent without leave and finally being dropped as a deserter.

"I am now, through the newspapers of Indiana and through lecturers in Kentucky, whom we are able to reach through the office of the adjutant general of that State, endeavoring to advise the home people of the seriousness of these offenses and that their efforts should be to assist every man in performing the duty that has devolved on him, to lighten his worries and, above all, to regard desertion in its proper light. I shall also attempt to get the West Virginia papers to institute a campaign of education along similar lines."

A division inspector submitted the following in this connection: "While stationed at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, last year I was

a member of a general court martial that tried approximately 100 enlisted men for desertion from National Guard regiments stationed on the border. I believe I am safe in saying that at least 90 per cent of them gave as their reason for desertion the fact that they had received letters from home to the effect that a wife, sister, or mother was either dying, very ill, or in destitute circumstances, and begged the man to come home at once. Many of the men admitted that when they returned home they found that the writer of the letter had exaggerated conditions."

Many young soldiers, fresh from home, suffer from homesickness, no matter how Army officers may try to make their surroundings pleasant and comfortable and provide proper amusements. Extraordinary measures have been taken by the War Department during the past year to keep the young soldier actively engaged while in camp with sports, amusements, and comforts that a wholesome psychology might be sustained. Still a type of soldier will yearn for home and fall into a brooding mood. It is obvious how harmful to him and to his service a discontented letter from home might be.

## W. A. DARPER HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

W. A. Draper, of Route 4, had a narrow escape from serious injury last Sunday, when his car ran over an embankment near Highland. The car was new and from some cause it became uncontrollable, (so Bill said) and was going at a high rate of speed when it ran over the embankment turning over twice and stopped right side up in running order. As usual Bill came out without a scratch. It was a false report, however, that Bill was trying to foop the loop around the bluff. They can back and jump, shake, rattle and roll, but they can't scare Bill.

The frogs have begun to sing. What more welcome sound to the heart and soul than the tuneful melody of the little nocturnal, aquatic, web-foot troubadour? The meadow lark for the fields and the robin for the back yard, but for energetic, wholesouled crescendo, for care-dispelling, debt forgetting enjoyment, give us the frog.

## BARGAINS IN FARMS.

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